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		Art Unit	1637
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<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>	
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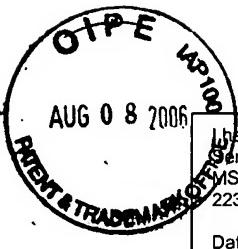
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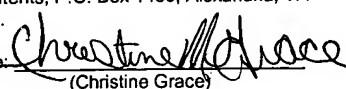
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Art Unit: 1637

For: METHODS FOR PRODUCING NUCLEIC
ACIDS LACKING 3'-UNTRANSLATED
REGIONS AND OPTIMIZING CELLULAR
RNA-PROTEIN FUSION FORMATION

Examiner: Suryaprabha Chunduru

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.111

Dear Sir:

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed April 4, 2006 in the above-identified application. A Petition for a one-month extension of time and appropriate fees are filed concurrently herewith. Reconsideration and further examination are requested. Please enter the following amendments:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.